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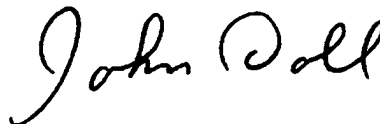
It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

In column 10, lines 10-12, the phrase "said channel being defined by an upper ledge and a lower ledge projected outwardly from said exterior periphery surface of said hub member" should be deleted, such that column 10, lines 9-13 read as follows:

said plurality of brackets pivotally connected to end
portions of a plurality of strut members of the umbrella frame.

Signed and Sealed this

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A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "John Doll". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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